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2. The information disclosure statement (IDS) submitted on 10/22/2000 has been considered by the examiner. A initialed copy of the IDS is enclosed herewith.

Conclusion

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